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Ornamental Clocks in Marble, Bronze, Brass, Wood and Nickel Cases. English, Canadian and American Electroplate Ware in endless variety.

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The above have been specially selected with a view to the requirements of the coming holiday trade, and combined with an unusually large stock of staple goods, constitutes the most complete and elegant assortment that the firm has offered for sale during the past twenty-seven years. Customers and the public generally are invited to inspect the stock, and those who wish to purchase can select what they require and have their purchase put aside for delivery on Christmas Eve.

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Jewellery Manufactured and Repaired.

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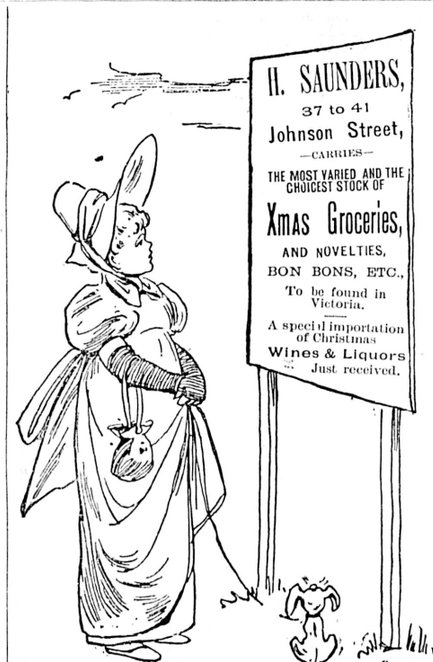

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WANTS.

WANTED—Good general servant; good wages. Mrs. Macleod, 110 Michigan street. nov23

WANTED—A nursemaid. Apply to Mrs. Taylor, 7 Park Road, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock. nov21

WANTED,—A young lady wants a situation as mother's help, or anything useful in family or otherwise. Address—A. H., Box 336, Vancouver. no21

GIRL WANTED, to assist in general housework. Good wages. Apply 73 North Park street, city. nov20

WANTED—A man well posted in the wholesale and retail wine and spirit trade. None need apply unless they can give first-class testimonials from last employer. Address "W. R." COLONIST Office. Anonymous replies won't be answered. dec1

AMUSEMENTS.

A DANCE

WILL BE HELD AT PHILHARMONIC Hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 11, 1889, under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias Band. Tickets admitting gentleman and ladies, $1.00, to be obtained from members of the band.

A FULL ORCHESTRA will be in attendance.

Hereafter the K. of P. Band will give a Dance every second and fourth Tuesday of the month at the above place. dec4-6t

GRAND BALL

On the Twenty-first Anniversary of the North and South Saanich

Agricultural Society,

Will be held on

DECEMBER 12th, 1889,

—AT—

AGRICULTURAL HALL, SOUTH SAANICH.

TICKETS,
Admitting Gentleman and Lady, $2.00.
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I. O. O. F.

The Oddfellows' Annual

CHRISTMAS TREE

Will be held in their Hall,

On December 27th, 1889.

With Entertainment and Refreshments.

A special feature of the event will be a Tombola Drawing, with prizes for ladies. Tickets can be had free on application "by members of the Order only," or Sisters of Rebekah, to the following committees:

No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 4
Steele.	Dempster.	Kinnaird.
Graham.	Henderson.	Babington.
Hooson.	Fawcett.	Glover.

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B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL DINNER OF THIS society will be held on Saturday evening, December 7, 1889.
Tickets, $2.50 each, may be obtained from the undersigned or any of the members.
JNO. J. AUSTIN,
Secretary,
nov9 57 Government St., Victoria.

I. O. O. F.

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF VICtoria Lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F., are requested to meet at the Hall, Douglas street, on Sunday, at 1 p. m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Archibald Rutherford.
dec6 A. G. DAY, *N. G.*

Victoria Building Society.

A MEETING OF THE ABOVE SOCIETY will be held at Harmony Hall, View street, on Wednesday, the 11th December, 1889, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of holding the 9th Drawing for an Appropriation.

See that your shares are in good standing. A limited number of shares are still open, and can be taken up by applying to the undersigned at his office, 30 Fort street.

By order,
A. ST. G. FLINT,
Secretary.
dec6-6t

Victoria Public Schools

TEACHERS WANTED.

Applications will be received by the undersigned, from duly qualified Teachers, up to Monday the 9th instant, for the following positions on the teaching staff:—

	PER MONTH.
1st Assistant High School, salary,	$100
Teacher, Hillside Ward School, -	70
Teacher, 6th Div. Boys' School, -	50

R. WOLFENDEN,
Secretary School Board.

Victoria, 1st Dec., 1889.
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LOST—On Wednesday evening, about five o'clock, between "The Westside" and the Post Office, a purse containing ten dollars. The finder will confer a favor by leaving the money at THE COLONIST office.
dec5 MISS PEERS.

SHOOTING MATCH,
Will take place on 21st,
FOR GEESE AND TURKEYS,
d6 AT ROYAL OAK. 3t

TENDERS.

SEPARATE TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned until noon of Saturday, Dec. 7th, for the brickwork and carpenter work necessary for the erection and completion of a Brick Building, corner Government and Pandora streets.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.

C. E. MALLETTE,
nov28-td 52 Government st.

Re Estate of Jacob Cohen.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to 10 a. m. on Saturday, the 7th inst., by Mr. C. W. Robson, for the purchase of the leasehold interest in the well-known and popular Cosmopolitan Hotel, Cordova street, Vancouver; and also including the bar fittings, fixtures and furniture now on the premises. Further information will be given by the Trustee, Mr. C. W. Robson, Hudson's Bay Company, Vancouver, B. C.

DRAKE, JACKSON & CO.,
Barristers and Solicitors,
Vancouver, B. C.
Dated December 2nd, 1889. dec4-4t

FOR SALE.

OFFERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to the 14th December instant, for City Lot 1795, Toronto street, James Bay, Size about 60 x 240.

Apply to
B. C. LAND AND INVESTMENT AGENCY, LIMITED.
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THE NATIONAL
Electric Tramway and Lighting Co.
[LIMITED.]

TENDERS, ADDRESSED AS ABOVE, for the exclusive right to use the blank spaces in the tram cars for advertising purposes, are invited until Tuesday next, 3rd December, at 4 p. m.

Applications for ELECTRIC POWER for driving elevators and machinery of all descriptions will also be received.

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
nov28-tf Sec.-Treas.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—A good upholsterer on furniture—a good steady job. Address B. B., this office. dec7-2t

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—MANUFACTURERS OF—
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KIRSCHBERG & LANDSBERG,
Headquarters for Indian Curios,
57 JOHNSON STREET,
Next to Shotbolt's Drug Store. dec7-1yr

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN OBEDIENCE TO A WRIT OF FIERI Facias to me directed and delivered, against the goods and chattels of Cherry & Creech, of Fort street, Victoria, Furniture Dealers, at the suit of Fred. D. Cherry, to levy $410.33, and $3.50 for costs, besides Sheriff's poundage, officers' fees, and all other legal incidental expenses, I have seized certain goods and chattels in and upon the premises of the said Cherry & Creech, situate in Fort street aforesaid, consisting of Bedroom and Parlor Suites, Lounges, Easy Chairs, Extension Table, &c. and will sell the same (or sufficient thereof to satisfy the said debt, sheriff's fees and incidental expenses) by public auction, on the said premises, on Tuesday, the 12th day of December instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, unless the said debt and costs be sooner paid.

J. E. McMILLAN,
Dec. 6, 1889. dec7 Sheriff.

W. R. CLARKE,
AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION SALE

I am instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the residence

No. 95 KINGSTON STREET,

Between St. John and Montreal streets, James Bay,

On Tuesday, 10th inst.

—THE—

FURNITURE

And Household Effects,

Which consist of Carpets, Oilcloth, Pictures, Bedsteads, Mattresses, and Bedding, Tables and Chairs, Parlor Stoves, and Kitchen Stoves and Utensils, Garden Tools.

TERMS CASH.

Goods to be taken away on day of sale.

W. R. CLARKE,
dec7 Auctioneer.

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TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY
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20 ARTISTS OF MERIT 20

Don't fail to bring the little ones to the Matinee to see the educated donkeys.
Sale of seats now open at Waitt's bookstore.
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I am instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the Salesroom, Store street,

THIS DAY!
AT ELEVEN A. M.,
FURNITURE,

Easy Chairs, Books, Clothing, Hats, Stoves—cooking and parlor; Vinegar, Carpets.
An English Iron Bedstead, with mattresses to fit; 30 bbls. Salmon bellies, and a quantity of other goods.

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GOOD VALUE

for their money in goods sold at his counter, and that he cannot afford subsidies or commissions, in shape of presents, during the Holidays.

I am working like *Hades* to secure a decent trade, and offer goods at a living price; if after this I am expected to give presents "good-bye, John," and forgive me if I have to refer you to higher-toned and higher-priced houses to secure a small moiety in shape of subsidy for your valued trade. I will at all times be glad to have your patronage on usual terms, but cannot afford more.

I offer a full line of nice fresh fruits and

CHRISTMAS GOODS
At Extremely Low Prices,

and solicit a share of your valued trade. I do not expect to do it all, but am satisfied with a portion—later on I will give a side show on number of pounds for one dollar.

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Cor. Yates and Broad Sts.
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Queen's -:- Hotel
FOR SALE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned, up to Saturday, Dec. 7th, for the purchase of the lease, furniture, bar fittings and good will of the Queen's Hotel, New Westminster, as a going concern. This offers a rare chance to an experienced hotel keeper to buy a well-established first-class Hotel at a reasonable price. For particulars apply to

J. B. CHERRY,
dec5 New Westminster.

JEFFERSON DAVIS' DEATH.

The South Mourning for the Confederate Veteran.

No Official Notice of Deceased at Washington.

A Confederate Veterans Fund in Aid of the Widow and Daughter of Their Late Comrade.

THE PEOPLE'S SORROW.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 6.—A movement is to be made to induce Jefferson Davis' relatives to allow his body to be brought here and interred in the yard of what was the White House of the Confederacy. In the legislature to-day a joint committee was appointed to draft resolutions expressing the sorrow of the people of Virginia at the death of Davis.

NO CRAPE AT WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—No official notice will be taken by the War Department concerning the death of Jefferson Davis, who was secretary of war under President Pierce from 1853 to 1857. Secretary Proctor said this morning that he could see no good reason to officially take notice of the event. The flag, which has always been lowered to half-mast when an ex-secretary dies, floated as usual to-day, from the top of the flagstaff. No announcement will be made to the army. Solitary and alone among the fifty-eight secretaries of war who have or may be gathered to their fathers, Jefferson Davis remains unnoticed by the department over which he once presided. The portrait of Davis looks down from the galaxy of pictures of the ex-secretaries which adorn the walls of the chief clerk's room in the war department. No crape surrounds it, nor, as customary when an ex-secretary dies, will any be placed about it.

THE SOUTH MOURNS FOR HER IDOL.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 6.—Governor Gordon has sent the following request to the governors of each of the Southern States: "I respectfully suggest that the Governors of the Southern States by proclamation invite the people of their respective states to assemble at an hour to be appointed for the funeral of Mr. Davis, and join in suitable memorial services."

The following order was also issued: "Headquarters United Confederate Veterans, Atlanta, Ga.—The association, bivouacs and camps, and all friends of the ex-Confederate veteran are invited to unite on the day of the funeral of the late Jefferson Davis, in raising a fund for his widow and daughter.

(Signed) J. P. GORDON, General."

It is expected that in all cities where no Confederate Veterans' associations have been organized the citizens will meet to hold services and raise funds. It is also suggested that in the South all work will be stopped on the day of the funeral.

CAROLINA'S FEELING.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 6. — Upon receipt of the news of the death of Jefferson Davis, the national and state flags were displayed at half-mast on the public buildings, and the buildings were closed. The bell of the city hall tolled, and Governor Nowle has sent a message of sympathy to Mrs. Davis.

DAVIS' STORY OF HIS CAPTURE.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 6.—The Evening Post publishes a report of Davis' capture, written by himself, and withheld until after his death at his own request. It consists of two letters to his old friend, Col. Crafts, deceased, who was the room mate of Davis at West Point. In the first letter, dated October 13th, 1877, regarding his capture, Davis wrote that "the Lieutenant, in his zeal to sustain the slanderous article of the General, makes assertions that he could not have believed to be true. For instance, the one who ordered me to halt bore a carbine, not a revolver, and the only person with me was a colored maid servant. Instantly I dropped my waterproof cloak and shawl and advanced toward the soldier, offensively declaring that I would not surrender in answer to his demand. Then Mrs. Davis ran up to me and threw her arms around my neck. That, of course, ended any possibility for my escape, and I said to her, "God's will be done," and turned back with her to the tent, and passed on immediately to a fire a short distance off. The only show of firing or armed resistance of any sort was beyond the creek we had crossed before camping, and that firing was between Michigan and Wisconsin men. It was a considerable time before I saw Col. Pritchard. He afterwards told me that several hours had elapsed before he knew of my presence, and he claimed credit for the forbearance of his men in not shooting me when I refused to surrender. You say there was no impropriety in assuming a disguise to escape capture; there was no time to have assumed one. The falsehood was conceived in a desire to humiliate me, and it was at first asserted that I had on a bonnet and woman's dress with hoop skirt. Woodcuts of that kind were said to have been made in New York. It may here be mentioned that the staff officers, sent on the ship when my wife and children were detained after I was incarcerated at Fortress Monroe, did plunder her trunks, carrying off many articles of value and among other things a hoop skirt, which the knaves were said subsequently to have sold as one worn by me. Do not, my friend, wonder at my conviction that, in my case and in our time, truth is crushed beneath malice and falsehood so deep below the light of reason in the Northerner's mind that justice to one from them is hopeless. That gallant soldier, Adjutant-General Townsend, whose feat has been to keep a watch and wait over the trunk belonging to me, which was found in Florida, and over the cloak and shawl taken from my wife when a prisoner, could enlighten a witness as to the shape of the cloak, and teach him not to risk his veracity by assuming to have seen a belt in the grey of the morning and with but an instant's opportunity to view moving and distant objects. Either their sagacity or their magnanimity should have taught my enemies to deal fairly, if not generously, by one who was regarded as suffering for the people he had represented.

THE SECOND LETTER.

In the second letter, under date of February 4th, 1878, Davis says: "I have pleasure to acknowledge your kind letter of the 30th ult. The facts you state in regard to the captured treasure are new to me. It is probable that the most of it was the property of the Richmond banks. The item of money captured from 'Jeff Davis' is unfounded, for sufficient reason that I had no gold when captured either private or public. Mr. Reagan, secretary of the treasury, had some gold, part of it his private property, and most of it belonging to the Confederate States Treasury, which was seized in his saddle bags. The amount does not as my memory serves me, correspond with either item. It was probably appropriated by that drunken fellow Hudson, who was recognized as the adjutant of a Michigan regiment, and who, Reagan told me, got his saddlebags. The rest of the Confederate States treasure was in the possession of the treasurer, an old purser of the United States navy and his assistants, both of them recent appointments. They were in Washington, Ga., when I left there, and I have no knowledge of their future conduct. Col. Pritchard told me some days after my capture that he had been sent in pursuit of the wagon train, and that he had no expectation of finding me with it. As has been related to you, I had recently joined it, the fact is, I staked all my property and reputation in defense of state rights and constitutional liberty as I understood them. The first I spent in the cause, except what was seized and appropriated or destroyed by the enemy. The last has been persistently assailed by all which falsehood could invent and malignity employ."

MOURNING IN NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 6.—Expressions of sorrow among the people over the death of Jefferson Davis is as sincere as it is general. To-day flags were suspended at half-mast from all the city and state buildings, newspaper offices, banks and insurance companies. It has been suggested that Governor Nicholls issue a proclamation setting apart a day of mourning, and that the people of the city drape their houses with crape out of respect to the distinguished dead. A number of residences have already been draped. The body will be taken in charge by the Veteran Association of Washington Artillery, and a guard of honor will be in uniform. When the remains reach the city hall Colonel Richardson, of the Washington artillery, will take command of the guard of honor and the body will be placed in the main parlor, where it will lie in state. Word has been received from a great number of military organizations to the effect that they will attend the funeral, and it promises to be the grandest and most impressive affair that has occurred in the history of the south.

THE CRONIN TRIAL.

Attorney Hynes Reviews the Evidence in the Case

And Finishes His Address to the Jury With a Magnificent Burst of Oratory.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6—Judge McConnell's court room was crowded again this morning when Hynes took the floor to finish his address to the jury in the Cronin murder case. Hynes stated he would use as little time as possible in presenting his views of the evidence against Beggs, and the position taken by Foster, Beggs' counsel, with regard to this evidence. Hynes argued that Beggs' position was not that of a man who desired peace and harmony in the order, as would be maintained by Foster. "Not only did Beggs deprecate the contention," said the attorney, "but he said he would have peace if it took war to bring it about. Beggs defended the triangle and said Alexander Sullivan, one of the triangle, had friends in the place, and that he was one of them. He denounced the men who were opening 'old sores.' [Hynes then referred to Beggs' letter to Spellman on February 16th, in which Beggs asked that "a penalty be inflicted on the men who are making dissension in the order." "He advised that something be done," said Hynes, "because he could not tell what trouble would come of it." "What was the trouble?" continued the attorney. "Who was it that whispered to Beggs' ear that there would be trouble? Was it Dan Coughlin who later on told the man that information had been received that one of the spies alluded to by Lecaron was here, and the indications are that Cronin was the man, or was it that the plot had already been inaugurated?" The innermost workings of the infamous conspiracy," said the attorney, "some of the members of which had been induced to mistake savagery for patriotism, would never be wholly revealed until some putrid conscience should show them in the shadows of the gallows." The claim that Cronin was killed because he was a British spy was knocked out with one blow. "Were such claims true," eloquently the attorney cried, "the murderers would have been sent across the ocean to put to death Lecaron." That the attorney for the suspect Beggs appreciated the terrible weight of evidence upon his client was plainly shown by his attempting in a way barren of results to prove an alibi for Beggs for May 4th.

At this the attorney interposed an objection, declaring that he had not attempted to prove an alibi, but simply to show the character of his client's associates at that time

Hynes dismissed the objection by saying that he, the counsel, could certainly not be serious in making such a statement. The alibi of the white horse was disposed of by Hynes citing the contradiction in the testimony of Budenhender, and then the inconsistencies of the driver of the white horse with the actions of an innocent man were discussed. The idea that Smith hired the horse upon the north side to take out riding an aunt living away down at the stock yards and making the trip in two hours and a half was absurd. A driver with a heavy overcoat on and the collar turned up on such a warm evening as the 4th of last May, and his desire for side curtains on the buggy, together with the request for a dark horse, was also commented on. Hynes referred to O'Sullivan's contract with Cronin, and said the reason the man who called for the doctor presented O'Sullivan's card was because he had been coached by O'Sullivan. After riddling the testimony of Detective Crowe, and disposing of the few remaining details in the case presented by the defence, Attorney Hynes hastily reviewed the State's evidence. With a magnificent burst of oratory, the speaker then pictured the doctor's ride to the cottage, his entering the door, his heart throbbing with anticipated relief of suffering, and his most horrible slaughter, which immediately followed. The effect was noticeable upon the defendants. their faces were pale and their eyes had a peculiar glassy stare. Other prominent parts of testimony presented by the State were handled with masterly skill, and new points brought out from the evidence already gone over. There was frequently a buzz of suppressed enthusiasm from the audience, and when the attorney finally finished, he was surrounded by his friends with warm congratulations. The court then adjourned for lunch.

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EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Press Comments on the Late Jefferson Davis.

Little Hope Held Out for the Recovery of Emin.

Scandal Mongers Say the Accident to the Pasha was Caused by Over Indulgence in Stimulants.

JEFF DAVIS' LIFE REVIEWED.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—All of the London papers devote extensive articles to reviews of the life of Jefferson Davis, calling especial attention to his varied and remarkable career as a soldier and statesman with more unanimity than they usually display in the discussion of public matters at home and abroad. The afternoon journals reach the conclusion that Davis was in no sense a great man, though it cannot be denied that he was exceptionally able and in many respects brilliant. In reviewing the events in connection with which Davis became most famous, or infamous, it is significant that the journals express opinions almost diametrically opposed to those which characterized the utterances of most of the London press during the American civil war. The change of sentiment is as welcome as it unquestionably is permanent.

THE ACCIDENT TO EMIN.

The sad accident to Emin Pasha, which elicits expressions of deep regret on every side, has furnished the sensation mongers with abundant material wherewith to increase their offensiveness. One of the theories advanced to account for the Pasha's injuries, which has obtained wide circulation and not a few believers, is that he threw himself from the balcony with suicidal intent while suffering from the effects of overindulgence in stimulants natural to a man who had so long been confined per force to a life of total abstinence from the cheering beverage of civilization.

THE STRUGGLE FOR HOME RULE.

It is said that owing to the continued serious illness of Schradhord, the Liberal caucus manipulator, his work will be assumed by Thos. Power O'Conner, editor of the Star. This arrangement is understood to have been fully acquiesced in by the leaders of the Liberal and National parties, and will naturally have the result of drawing still closer the bonds which united the two parties in their common struggle for home rule.

THE GAS WORKERS' TROUBLES.

The prospect that a stubborn fight between the gas workers and their employees is ahead is growing stronger hourly. Both parties to the contest are determined. Each appears to be confindent of ultimate victory. Already a large number of laboring men are flocking to London in the hope of securing the places which promise to be vacated next week, and these are met at the trains by skirmishers who use every argument consistent with their immunity from arrest for assault, to dissuade the newcomers from applying for work, in a great many cases with success.

THE CZAR TO GO TO ATHENS.

It is announced the Czar will visit the King of Greece at Athens in the spring.

ANOTHER EUROPEAN RAILWAY.

The Governments of Prussia and Brunswick will jointly construct a railway from Ilsenburg to Harburg.

EMIN'S INJURIES PROBABLY FATAL.

Wm. Lehman Burdett Coutts, M. P. for Westminster, has received a telegram from Stanley, saying that Emin Pasha is in a most critical condition. In addition to other symptoms menacing his life, Stanley says there is a flow of blood from his ears which the doctors are unable to check. The injured man is lying in the Mormon hospital at Bagomayo. Dr. Parke has still some hopes of saving the patient's life, but the German naval surgeons at Bagomayo do not share his hopeful feeling. They declare that not more than 20 per cent. of such cases escape fatal results.

CABLE NEWS.

Memorializing Bismarck.

BERLIN, Dec. 6.—The Berlin secretary of artists has sent a memorial to Prince Bismarck and the President of the Reichstag asking for Konighsplatz as a site for a monument to the late Emperor William; and opposing the proposed demolition of artistic and historical buildings for that purpose.

The Scheme Abandoned.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The Russian scheme to establish a Caspian bank with a branch at Teheran has been abandoned, prominent political and financial men of St. Petersburg having expressed the friendliest feelings towards the Imperial Bank of Persia.

Comment on the Report.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—London financial men don't view Secretary Windom's report with favor, but await details before expressing a decided opinion.

Stanley at Zanzibar.

ZANZIBAR, Dec. 6.—Stanley has arrived here. The condition of Emin Pasha is slightly improved to-day. In addition to the injuries to his head Emin also sustained several internal injuries by his fall

Captain Plunkett Dead.

DUBLIN, Dec. 6.—Captain Plunkett, chief of police at Cork is dead.

The Accident to Emin.

BERLIN, Dec. 6.—The news of the accident to Emin Pasha has caused a sensation here.

Portugal's Reply to Lord Salisbury.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—The reply of the Portuguese Government to the protest of Lord Salisbury is conciliatory in tone, and insists upon the sincerity of Portugal in her efforts to suppress the slave trade.

The Prosecution of Moussa Bey.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 6.—A meeting of American missionaries was held here to-day, at which it was resolved to insist that the United States minister to Turkey assist in prosecuting Moussa Bey for having assaulted two of their number.

Sufferers From Influenza.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 6.—Many persons of high rank, including Sir R. D. Morier, British ambassador, and Grand Duke Alexis, brother of the Czar, are suffering from influenza.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Baptist Church, Rev. M. L. Rugg, pastor.—Preaching by Rev. E. A. Whittier, Evangelist of Massachusetts, on Sunday morning and evening.

Electro-plated goods at CHEAPSIDE.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

FOOTBALL.

On account of the St. Paul's school having lost one of their best men they will not play with the Islanders (association) to-day, nor again this year.

The Islanders will play a match with the Thistles this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Hill. Following is the Islanders' team: Prof. Foster, goal; P. Wallace, P. Hibben, backs; W. Johnson, W. Lorimer, half backs; H. J. Martin, W. Spring, centre forwards; J. Greer, G. McConnan, right wing; F. Sutherland, J. R. Northcote, (captain,) left wing.

The return match between the Victoria football club and a combined team from the "Pacific Squadron" and "C" battery will be played at Beacon Hill this afternoon. The kick off will take place at 3 p. m., and members of the Victoria club will kindly be on the ground by that time, otherwise the game will have to be stopped by darkness setting in. The Victoria team will include Roberts, Fisher, Barnard, Ward, Miller, Hibben, Crease, Langley, Clarke, Fawcett, Wilson, Kennedy, Langley, Munroe, Drummond, Drake, and any other players who want a game will kindly turn up, they can be assured of one.

The Vancouver football team will play against the Victoria team on Saturday next the 14th inst., at Beacon Hill.

A match is also on the tapis with Nanaimo football club for an early date.

HERE AND THERE.

The double scull race between members of the fire department has fallen through.

Dan McLeod is still unable to draw the stakes which he won in his recent wrestle with Cameron.

Prof. Foster is looking for new rooms, the present premises being too small for his ever-growing classes.

It is expected that a double scull race will be arranged between Quinn and Paine, and McLean and Murray.

A paper chase on horseback, both ladies and gentlemen participating, furnished plenty of amusement for Thursday afternoon.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The Past Five Months Show a Large Surplus of Revenue.

The Premier's Health Vastly Improved—Applications for Railway Incorporation by Three Companies.

From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 6. — The surplus revenue over expenditure for the past five months of the fiscal year is four millions and a half.

G. C. Webster, of Vancouver, has received a permanent appointment as preventive officer of customs.

Sir John's health is vastly improved.

Application will be made to parliament to incorporate a company to build a railway in British Columbia from the mouth of the Pen D'Oreille river northerly to Nelson; also another company to build a line from the mouth of Kettle river, via Rock Creek, Osoyoos, easterly to the Fraser river on the coast; also a British line to the south of Okanagon Lake.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Heavy frost is now the feature of the nights and early mornings.

Electric light photos, equal to daylight, at Jones Bros., Douglas street.

The Islander brought down 84 passengers last night.

California and Sound papers on sale at Daley's, 91 Douglas street.

A large portion of the machinery of the wrecked Idaho was safely landed yesterday.

A fine line of hall, library and house lamps at MCLENNAN & MCFEELY'S, 70 Yates street.

His Honor Judge Bole was banquetted by the legal fraternity of Vancouver on Thursday evening.

The "ENDLESS WEAR" knit hose for boys at the CITY HOUSE. tf

A nice lot of brass goods, spark guards, nursery fenders, etc., at MCLENNAN & MCFEELY'S, 70 Yates streets.

The tramway contractor, Mr. T. W. Patterson, has completed his work to the satisfaction of the company.

An immense rush for Overcoats and P Jackets at Gilmore & McCandless'. tf

Pianoforte tuning and repairing. Satisfaction guaranteed. Highest testimonials. Address, Frank Bourne, 21 Kane street.

The dance under the auspices of the K. of P. band announced for next Tuesday evening, has been postponed until the following night.

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If you are intending going East, make a note of the C. P. R. excursions and specially fitted colonist sleepers. First-class travel at second-class rates. Robt. Irving, agent. tf

Six sailors and one marine, deserters from H. M. service, were sent back to their respective ships to be tried by court-martial yesterday. There are still six more men missing.

Advertising does pay and send your orders for coal to Central Coal office, 90½ Government street. Telephone call, No. 71. A. HEATHORN. *3m

A young man giving the name of John Brown was arrested last evening on suspicion of being a watch thief.

The police have been notified of the loss of a number of small articles from the Railroad Hotel on Thursday evening, and which it is supposed have been stolen by sneak thieves.

The B. C. Pioneers are fitting and furnishing their new rooms at the corner of Broad street and Trounce Alley in splendid style. They propose to hold regular "at homes" during the winter.

The finest line of perfumes, toilet sets and fancy soaps, etc., is to be had at John Teague, jr.'s drug store, Poodle Dog block, Yates street. Prescriptions carefully compounded at any hour of the day or night. Telephone call 469.

A party of five vagrants, anxious to get out of Victoria, attempted to stow themselves away on the Islander this morning. They were brought out of their hiding places by the cold water process.

Mrs. John Thompson, a resident of Nanaimo since 1854, died in that city on Thursday after a long illness. The deceased lady was a native of Brierly Hill, England, and leaves a husband, two sons and three daughters to mourn her loss.

The celebrated ditch and culvert case, Guichon vs. McNeely and others, has occupied the attention of Mr. Justice McCreight at Westminster for several days. The counsel for the plaintiff were the Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C., and Mr. Taylor, of Eberts & Taylor, Victoria; for the defense, Messrs. Eckstein, McColl and Jenns.

An unfortunate Siwash, clothed in garments that had come through the winter of their existence, with his head decorated with bandages and his eye in a sling, complained to the police last evening that his "tillicum" had got on a drunk and almost killed him. The blue-coats are looking for the offender.

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At one of the late scientific conventions an investigation was made as to what causes left leggedness, and this important subject was gone into very minutely. This is very interesting to the scientific mind. But to the non-practical walks of life, if you should want furniture, it is really more important to know where, all things considered, you can do the best. We should unhesitatingly say 62 Government street, HASTIE & LOCKHART'S.

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CANADIAN NEWS.

An Elopement at Ottawa Creates a Sensation.

The Jesuit-Mail Libel Suit Assumes a New Phase.

An Ontario Farmer Burned to Death While Rescuing His Children From a Burning Dwelling.

Aldermen on a Holiday.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 6.—The members of the Montreal city council left for Port Arthur and Fort William this evening. They spent the morning at St. Boniface where various Catholic institutions were visited.

Ottawa's Latest Sensation.

OTTAWA, Dec. 6.—Somewhat of a sensation has been created here by the elopement of Mrs. Colin Campbell, wife of a well known employe of the Militia Department with a young lieutenant in the Princess Louise Dragoon Guards, Fred. O'Conner. The husband saw his faithless spouse take her departure on the train but she was dumb to all his entreaties. Mrs. Campbell is a large woman, about 40 years of age, while her paramour is perhaps 25. Her conduct for years past has been such as to create scandal and to excite sympathy for her husband, who married one greatly beneath him in social position.

Another Phase in the Jesuits' Suit.

MONTREAL, Dec. 6.—The celebrated case of the Jesuits against the Mail for $50,000 alleged damages, has passed into a new stage. Hon. Mr. Laflamme and F. C. Smith, the Mail's counsel, have made a motion to amend their pleading by inserting certain special clauses of the constitution instead of general allegations, which were argued, and Judge Doherty took the matter en deliberire.

Cremated.

GANANOQUE, Dec. 6.—The dwelling of John Modler, a farmer of the Third Concession of Lansdown, South Leeds, was burned last night, and Modler lost his life in trying to save his property, after having with difficulty saved his children. The remains, burned crisp, were recovered from the ruins.

Lady Macdonald in Toronto.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—Lady Macdonald and her warm personal friend, Mrs. Dewdney, wife of the Minister of the Interior, were in town yesterday. They spent most of the day shopping. Lady Macdonald said that the newspaper reports in regard to Sir John's illness were much exaggerated. It was merely a slight cold.

Alienating a Wife's Affection.

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—An action is pending in

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Times accuses us of traducing the City Council. We did nothing of the kind. We gave that body all the credit it deserved. Our contemporary blames us for having said that the ratepayers have not sufficient confidence in the Board of Aldermen to trust them with the construction of a system of sewers. We consider that, independently of the expression of opinion we heard from many quarters, the circumstances warranted us in coming to that conclusion. It is admitted that the majority of the ratepayers are in favor of having the city drained. Since this is the case it would not be very difficult for the City Council if it had the requisite business ability, to select a sewer system which would receive the approbation of the ratepayers and place it before them in such a shape that they would have no cause to mistrust their integrity and their ability to carry it out to a successful completion. But did the manner in which the Council handled the business warrant any such conclusion? It did not. They managed it in the most unfortunate way, and although we do not believe that there was any "job" in contemplation, many intelligent ratepayers came to that conclusion and could not be argued out of it. There is nothing now to be gained by reviewing the Council's management of the sewer business, but the most prejudiced must see that when the citizens were in favor of the principle and were anxious to carry it out, the Council must have been sadly wanting in executive ability when they could not put the scheme in such a shape as to meet the approval of the ratepayers.

DISLOYAL TO VICTORIA.

The Times continues to pursue the course with regard to the Order-in-Council in which it set out. It does not concern itself about the interests of Victoria. It can think of nothing but its petty quarrels and the gratification of its personal spleen. It alludes to the COLONIST correspondent as "the Ottawa liar." It could not have chosen a more inappropriate epithet. It would be hard to find on the press of the Dominion a more careful, a more discreet and a more reliable journalist, than the gentleman who acts as correspondent for the COLONIST in Ottawa. Whatever he says may be depended upon as being the truth. He is careful to have the best authority for what he sends over the wires. What he said about the anti-Victorian article that appeared in the Times directly after the promulgation of the Order-in-Council was nothing more than the natural conclusion to which any person who did not understand the very peculiar nature of the Times would come. It is but natural to expect that the Minister when he found that some parties here considered that the enforcement of the Order-in-Council would be injurious to Victoria, would look at the organ of the Opposition to see what it said about the matter. It is the habit of Opposition paper to make the most of any grievance. If injustice is done to those whose interests they are supposed to represent, they are the first to notice it and to find fault with those who inflicted it. So vigilant are they, as a rule, that they see grievances where none exist, and they are wont to misrepresent the influence of acts of the administration, that are not only harmless but beneficial. When, therefore, the Minister of Customs saw that the organ of the Opposition justified the Government in passing the Order, he might readily conclude that the protests from Victoria were made by a few interested persons, and that the community, as a whole, would not be injured if it were continued and rigidly enforced. Our correspondent, therefore, was perfectly right when he said that the Times article was "calculated to induce the department to continue the regulations." It was calculated to have that effect and it is hardly uncharitable to conclude that it was written with the express intention of producing that effect. If the Times wanted to have the order recalled it would have commented on it in a very different spirit.

The truth is that our contemporary was too much delighted to have the opportunity, as it considered, of bringing the Board of Trade into disrepute to give a thought to the injury done to Victoria. The Board had, in its opinion, committed a blunder, and it was bound to make the most of it, no matter how much the merchants of Victoria suffered. The glee with which it noticed an act of the Government which every one could see was calculated to do Victoria a great deal of harm was visible in every line of the article. It believed that it had the chance to be even with some gentleman who by some means or other had incurred its ill-will, and it was determined to do them all the harm in its power. It could not for the sake of the interests of the citizens of Victoria rise above the consideration of its petty spite and its professional jealousy. The difference between our contemporary and ourselves in dealing with this matter of the Order was that we thought of nothing but the interests of Victoria and the Times considered only how it could get even with those whom it disliked. We, regardless of party leanings and what many considered our duty to the Government, said what we believed to be the truth respecting the Order; the Times, although the organ of the Opposition, said nothing about the injury done to Victoria and justified the Government.

A PITIFUL CASE.

Every person of common humanity must have read with pain of the manner in which the unfortunate young woman who was lately found on the streets of this city insane, has been treated. We do not wish to convey the slightest reproach to those who had charge of the poor creature. From all that we can learn, the Chief of Police and his men did the best that they could under the circumstances. But the duty that was thrust upon them was one which they ought not to have been called upon to perform. A person who is so unfortunate as to become demented is not a criminal, and it is an outrage that he or she should be treated as such. A virtuous, well educated girl and a stranger becomes insane. Instead of being treated as a patient who has been terribly afflicted through no fault of her own, the police, for want of some proper place to take her to, are obliged to treat her as if she was the most abandoned of her sex. She is taken to the police cells, with no one but men to look after her, and is kept there for days. If she had been a drunken, degraded klootchman she would not have been treated otherwise. Happily the afflicted girl could not realize the position in which she was placed, but no doubt she was unduly excited by what she was compelled to see and hear in that place, and her chances of recovery lessened, if not destroyed altogether. It is a deep reproach to the city that an afflicted person should be treated in this way. The proper place for the poor girl was the hospital where her surroundings would be decent and like what she had been accustomed to, where she could be kept quiet, and where she could be looked after by persons of her own sex. Surely an insane person could be accommodated in one of the hospitals for two or three days until he or she could be examined and sent to the lunatic asylum. Cases of this kind seldom happen, but that is no reason why some kind of provision should not be made for them. Every body must see that the police cells are no place in which an insane young woman should be be kept for days. We trust that the authorities will look into this matter and make some decent provision for the safe-keeping of insane persons who are so unfortunate as to have no friends to look after them. It is unjust and inhuman to treat them as if they were evil-doers.

The ladies of the city should see to it that none of their sex should be placed in such circumstances as this unfortunstranger. She was a good girl of much more than average intelligence. Her troubles and disappointments were more than she could bear, and her mind gave way. It appears, too, that the tendency to insanity was hereditary. She should not have been taken charge of by the police. Her affliction was no crime.

HERBERT SPENCER AND THE SINGLE TAX MEN.

When Mr. John Morley paid a visit to his constituents at Newcastle a few weeks ago, he was subjected to a process known in Scotland as "heckling." A few prominent electors took upon themselves to ask the eminent statesman a number of questions on all sorts of subjects. He was required to give his views on the nationalization of land. His answer did not please some of his catechisers. They declared that his views did not accord with those of Herbert Spencer. When Mr. Morley said that Herbert Spencer had modified his views on that subject his reply was treated by the propounder of the questions as an evasion, and the single tax men maintained that Herbert Spencer is on their side. Henry George and his disciples here do the same thing, and cite his writings in favor of their scheme of spoliation.

Luckily Mr. Spencer is alive and ready to defend his reputation. He saw what had been said about him in Newcastle, and he immediately wrote a letter to the Times in which he repudiated the views attributed to him by Mr. Morley's hecklers. He admits that something which he wrote forty years ago, and which he has since done all he could to suppress, might, if taken by itself, bear something like the interpretation put upon it by the Newcastle politicians, but that while he still adheres to the general principles, he dissented from some of the deductions. He said, too, that his opinions had been made to appear by those who circulated them, widely different from what they really are by the omission of accompanying opinions. But there is one thing which he makes sufficiently clear in his letter, and that is, that he never advocated taking the land from its owners without giving them adequate compensation. To prove this, he quotes the following passage from the work from which the land nationalists take their quotations. Alluding to the business of compensation of land owners, he said it would be a very complicated one—

"One that perhaps cannot be settled in a strictly equitable manner. * * * Most of our present landowners are men who have either mediately or immediately, by their own acts or by the acts of their ancestors, given for their estates an equivalent in honestly earned wealth, believing that they were investing their savings in a legitimate manner. Justly to estimate and liquidate the claims of such is one of the most intricate problems which the state will one day have to solve.

Anything more widely different from Henry George's scheme of wholesale robbery cannot be imagined. Mr. Spencer, who is considered by the world at large almost as profound a thinker as Henry George, is by no means of the opinion that the nationalization of land is a cure for all social ills. He says at the conclusion of his letter to the Times:

"On the other hand, nationalization of land effected after compensation for the artificial value given by cultivation, amounting to the greater part of its value, would entail in the shape of interest on the required purchase money as great a sum as is now paid in rent, and indeed a greater, considering the respective rates of interest on landed property and other property. Add to which, there is no reason to believe that the substituted form of administration would be better than the existing form of administration. The belief that land would be better managed by public officials than it is by private owners is a very wild belief."

It is to be hoped that after this the single tax advocates will not quote Herbert Spencer as being in favor of their very peculiar system. We see that the use they have hitherto made of his name was exceedingly disingenuous, but if, after his repudiation of their principles in the London Times, they continue to claim him as being on their side, they will be most dishonest. From that letter it is evident that whatever Herbert Spencer thinks of private property in land in the abstract he is as much opposed to communistic schemes like that of Henry George as it is possible for an honest man to be.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

THOSE who read the telegrams sent by the representatives of the city in the Dominion Commons that appeared in our columns yesterday must be convinced that Messrs Prior and Earle have the welfare of the city very much at heart. The language they used was strong and urgent, and must have convinced those to whom the telegrams were sent that Victoria's representatives were not "puppets" with whom the Government could do as they pleased no matter how their constituents were treated. It is easy to see that those messages were sent by men who felt that they were independent and had a right to be heard on any matter in which the interests of their constituents were concerned.

THE Montreal Star, in an article on the Brome election, makes some remarks on partyism and provincial politics which are worth thinking over. Our Montreal contemporary, which is very decidedly conservative in its leanings, says:

"To be a Conservative or Liberal in Dominion politics means something; it means at least that one is either for or against the National Policy. For any English-speaking man to be a Conservative or a Liberal in provincial politics means nothing; unless it means that one is prepared to serve the public in the capacity of a J. P., or as a commissioner to go somewhere and do something. The readiness of some of our English-speaking citizens to get enthusiastic in the interests of a Liberal or a Conservative candidate in a provincial election is simply an illustration of the curious tendency of the average man to allow himself to be dominated by phrases and catch words. To the out-and-out party man the name of his party is as full of comfort as was the blessed word Mesopotamia to the old woman. What on earth of pride, of satisfaction or of hope is to be associated with either the word "Conservative" or the word "Liberal" in connection with Quebec politics would be hard to say."

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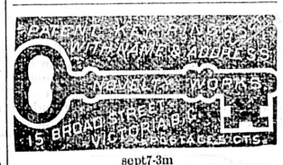

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Re GABRIEL LACROIX, of the Mission, Retail Trader.
AN ASSIGNMENT HAS BEEN MADE by the above named Gabriel Lacroix to me, of all his property, for the benefit of his creditors. All persons having claims against him must send in particulars thereof, properly verified, to me, forthwith.
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NOTICE.
DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Province, Mr. H. E. Croasdaile holds my power of attorney, and will attend to the Canada Life Assurance and other business.
my9-1yr A. W. JONES.

The Perry Creek Gold Mining Co'y,
(LIMITED LIABILITY.)
Nov. Assessment, Due 17th Dec., 1889.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 18th November, 1889, an assessment of Five (5) cents per share was levied upon the on or before the capital stock of said company, payable on or before the 17th of December, 1889, to the Secretary of the company, at the company's office, Victoria, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessments shall remain unpaid on the 19th of December, 1889, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 30th of December, 1889, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
HENRY JACOBY,
The Company's Office, Secretary.
Government St., Victoria. no21

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT sixty days after date we intend making application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situated in Rupert District, British Columbia: Beginning at the south-east corner post of section number thirteen (13) Township three (3), Rupert District; thence south one hundred and sixty (160) chains; thence east nine hundred and sixty (960) chains, more or less, to the west bank of the Nimpkish River; thence south following the meanderings of the Nimpkish River two hundred and forty (240) chains, more or less; thence west two thousand four hundred (2400) chains, more or less, to H. W. M. Quatsino Sound; thence following the meanderings of the shore of Quatsino Sound northerly two hundred and forty (240) chains; thence east two hundred and forty (240) chains; thence north eighty (80) chains; thence east one hundred and sixty (160) chains; thence north eighty (80) chains; thence east seven hundred and twenty (720) chains, more or less, to the point of commencement, and which said tract of land is said to contain 65,920 acres, more or less.
JOHN IRVING. JAMES CARROLL.
R. P. RITHET. JAMES A. LAIDLAW.
LOUIS ERB.
Dated the 14th day of Nov., 1889. n15-dw

NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application will be made at the next Session of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia for an Act to incorporate a Company, to be called "The British Columbia Mills, Timber and Trading Company," for the purpose of acquiring the shares in the capital, and the business, property and privileges, and also of assuming the liabilities of the Royal City Planing Mills Company, Limited, and the Hastings Saw Mill Company, Limited, respectively, and to provide for the said Companies being merged therein and extinguished; and
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To acquire by purchase or otherwise, build and operate, equip and maintain, mills, factories and machine shops of any description, steam vessels and other vessels of any description, railways, tramways, canals and ferries, and to dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;
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To acquire, by purchase or otherwise, leases of timber and other lands and timber privileges, and to dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;
To acquire, by purchase or otherwise, and hold lands, and dispose of the same, or any interest therein, by sale or otherwise;
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To undertake agencies and conduct financial business of any kind other than that of banking or insurance;
To perform all such acts, matters and things as the Company may deem incidental or otherwise conducive to the attainment of any of the above objects, or to the conversion or disposition of any security or property held by the Company.
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for the Applicants.
Dated 4th December, 1889.
Victoria, B. C. dec5

NOTICE
IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act granting to the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway Company (a foreign company) corporate powers, and enabling the said company to construct, equip and maintain a railway from a convenient point on Kettle River, near the southern boundary line of the Province of British Columbia; thence by the most convenient and practicable route by way of Rock Creek and Osoyoos Lake to the Fraser River, near its mouth, or to the coast, or for an Act to incorporate a company for the above purposes.
CHARLES WILSON,
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Victoria, Nov. 28th, 1889. no29-2m-dw

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IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act granting to the Spokane Falls and Northern Railway Company (a foreign company) corporate powers, and enabling the said company to construct, equip and maintain a railway from a convenient point near the mouth of the Pen d'Oreille River, near the southern boundary of the Province, to a convenient point near the town of Nelson, on the west arm of Kootenay Lake, and for a grant of land in aid thereof, or for an Act to incorporate a company for the above purposes.
CHARLES WILSON,
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Victoria, N th, 1889. no29-d w 2m

NOTICE
IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next Session, for an Act to amend the "Crows' Nest and Kootenay Lake Railway Company Act, 1888," by extending the time within which the said Company shall commence the construction of the work for a period of three years from the 28th day of April, 1890; and the time within which the said Company shall complete and equip the same, for a period of three years from the 28th day of April, 1893.
FRED. G. WALKER,
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Victoria, B. C., Nov. 29th, 1889. n30-2m

REGINA v. SIM.
THE PROSECUTION BEING WITHdrawn, on behalf of the defendant I unqualifiedly and unreservedly withdraw the imputation against Mr. Moffatt contained in the letter complained of, dated 17th July, 1889, and express my sincere regret that it was ever written, and humbly apologize therefor.
Dated 29th November, 1889.
(Signed) CHAS. WILSON,
nov30 Counsel for DAVID SIM.

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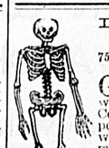

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Let us begin, dear love, where we left off;
Tie up the broken threads of that old dream,
And go on happy as before, and seem
Lovers again though all the world may scoff.

Let us forget the graves which lie between
Our parting and our meeting, and the tears
That rusted out the goldwork of the years;
The frosts that fell upon our gardens green.

Let us forget the old malicious fate
Who made our loving hearts her idle toys,
And once more revel in the old sweet joys
Of happy love. Nay, it is not too late.

Forget the deep plowed furrows in my brow;
Forget the silver gleaming in my hair;
Look only in my eyes! Oh! darling, there
The old love shone no warmer then than now.

Down in the tender deeps of thy dear eyes,
I find the lost sweet memory of my youth,
Bright with the holy radiance of thy truth,
And hallowed with the blue of summer skies.

Tie up the broken threads and let us go,
Like reunited lovers, hand in hand,
Back, and yet onward, to the sunny land
Of our To Be, which was our Long Ago.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox

A Cat Stops a Dog Fight.

Rather a novel and amusing scene was witnessed by a number of spectators who happened to be in the vicinity of the lower court offices and police headquarters yesterday forenoon. Much has been said of the private menagerie of felines at the mayor's court room, and has been referred to betimes in the columns of the press. Among the aggregation of purrers there is one called Minnie, the natural parent of all the others of at least two generations, and one that has been associated with the officers, and the peace making characteristics seem to have been pretty thoroughly studied by the feline, and in this instance put into practice, becoming an educated animal. Her family consists of several cats of tender age, and her protective instinct was fully demonstrated.

A pair of dogs, a black and white, had a disagreement in front of Justice Johnson's court, and the under canine, the white one, it is said, was doing considerable yelping, and both together were enacting a full grown disturbance of the peace. Minnie, the cat, caused each separate hair on her spinal column to stand erect, and putting on her war paint leaped through a window and ran to the fighting dogs and was soon making the hair fly and causing a stampede of her beligerent enemies. She stopped the fight and maintained a warlike attitude until the dogs skulked away, when she trotted back to her kittens amid the vociferous applause of probably fifty persons who witnessed the sight. This may serve as a timely warning to other disagreeing dogs that have escaped the loaded meat not to visit the official hollow to settle their doggoned difficulties, for, like this one, it might end in a catastrophe.—Houston (Tex.) Post.

Why She Likes a Bustle.

"I'll take twelve yards of that," said a tall, slim woman, pointing to a piece of dress goods at a Woodward avenue (Detroit) store, "and I want a string."

A good piece of tar rope was given her, and a whispered direction followed.

"That is a habitual smuggler," said the clerk to a reporter, as the woman passed down the basement stairs. "She never seems to be suspected, for she comes in here regularly."

That tall, slim woman wore an immense pannier as she later marched briskly through the store, smiling on the clerks here and there, and went aboard the ferryboat.

"Common thing? Why, certainly it is. That woman has had hundreds of dollars worth of goods from this store this season, and has smuggled every cent's worth of it over. Yes, it will be hard on some stylish folks when bustles go entirely out of fashion. I guess that Windsor woman will keep up the style as long as possible."—Detroit News.

The Lady Bird.

I do not believe, say some, that any one has willingly crushed a lady bird. "Lady bird, lady bird, fly away home," has been sung by the children of many generations, and little hands have opened to let fly the tiny beetle that will fold its gauze wings under the hard shield it wears over them, and lay still feigning death. "Fly away, your home is on fire, your children will burn!" but the lady bird does not move an inch, it will rest in the dimpled hand of the child, apparently, not even aroused by the cry that its home is on fire. There is a sort of tenderness felt for the little creature and no one would disturb it in its resting place in the heart of the rose, or hiding under the leaves, and yet few know its great usefulness. It feeds on the "scale insect," and is one of the orange grower's best friends. A whole colony of lady birds was brought from Australia to California, and it is said they are rendering invaluable service in the orange groves of the "golden state."—New Orleans Picayune.

Two Men's Lives Saved by a Dog.

A dog saved two men from death at Waukesha one night recently. The dog aroused his master, named Nagel, and after persistent efforts succeeded in getting him to follow him to the railroad track. He there found C. J. Evans, a resident of Waukesha, and a brother who is visiting him, lying across the main track beneath their cart and horse, which had in some unaccountable way been overturned. Mr. Nagel tried hard to release them, but could accomplish nothing alone, and hearing the whistle of an incoming train, he hastened toward it and succeeded in stopping it before it reached the spot. The train hands then assisted to remove the rig from the track, but neither man was able to give any intelligible account of how the accident happened. Had it not been for the sagacity of the dog in alarming Mr. Nagel the two men would undoubtedly have been killed by the train.—Chicago News.

Ye Editor Sad.

We mix in the great international jam; we crowd and push and rush and worry. And all for what? Over in the graveyard yonder lie the hopes, ambitions and dreams of a thousand men who rushed and worried, who toiled and struggled only to find a narrow prison cell where no hope or thought or love can come. And does it pay? Ought it to be the base metal of a fluctuating commercial value or the priceless coin of pleasure and content that we poor mortals should strive to secure? Buried cities centuries old are found covered with the dust of human beings. They yield up their treasures, and vandals dig among the bones of the dead without a sacred thought that they may find a bit of gold to satiate their greed. And the man who pauses to reflect upon the cause of it all picks a bare bone in the glare of his neighbor's clustered diamonds.—Lincoln (Neb.) Call.

A Luminous Fluid.

To make a luminous liquid that will distinctly shine in the dark, dissolve a little phosphorus in essence of cloves or olive oil, and keep the solution in a bottle which must be securely stoppered. One part of phosphorus to six parts of olive oil makes a very good luminous fluid. It should always be remembered in making chemical or other experiments with phosphorus that that element cannot safely be handled except under water.—Exchange.

Miss Way, an elderly lady, living alone at Salem, Conn, cleverly baffled a gang of thieves who invaded her house a few days ago. She was writing near a window when a shotgun was thrust through the pane of glass, and voices demanded her money. She seized the gun, but it was soon taken from her. She then blew out the light, hastened to the room where her money was kept, in an old valise, carried it to the cellar, and, quietly escaping through a hatchway, hurried across the fields, while the robbers were vainly searching the house for her wealth.

Some one has gone into the business of counterfeiting English silver coin upon a large scale, that is, if a coin can be called a counterfeit which possesses as much intrinsic value as the genuine itself. The half crown is the coin chosen for imitation, and the dies from which it is struck are so perfect that only the most careful tests will distinguish it from the product of the mint. There is a profit of 20 per cent in the business for the manufacturer, while the public are in no way the losers by the substitution of private for public coinage.

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Att'y-at-Law and Ex-Pros. Att'y,
Ashland, O.

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My boy, aged nine years, has been troubled all his life with a very bad humor, which appeared all over his body in small red blotches, with a dry white scab on them. Last year he was worse than ever, being covered with scabs from the top of his head to his feet, and continually growing worse, although he had been treated by two physicians. As a last resort, I determined to try the CUTICURA REMEDIES, and am happy to say they did all that I could wish. Using them according to directions, the humor rapidly disappeared, leaving the skin fair and smooth, and performing a thorough cure. The CUTICURA REMEDIES are all you claim for them. They are worth their weight in gold. GEORGE F. LEAVITT,
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ASSIGNMENT
For the Benefit of Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Cherry & Creech, Upholsterers and Furniture Dealers, at the City of Victoria, have this day assigned all their property and effects to the undersigned, for the benefit of their creditors. All persons having claims against the said firm are requested to file the same with the undersigned, W. K. Bull, or with A. L. Belyea, 6 Bastion square, Victoria, solicitor for the Assignees, on or before the 31st day of December, inst. A statement of the affairs of the said firm will be sent to all creditors at an early date.

Dated the 4th December, A. D. 1889.

WILLIAM K. BULL,
HENRY G. WALKER,
Assignees.
dec6-1w

NOTICE.

AS A CHANGE IN MY BUSINESS will take place, I request all persons indebted to me to settle their accounts on or before December 31st next; and those to whom I am indebted will send their bills at the same time.
dec6-1mo JOHN WEILER.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session, for an Act to amend 46 Vic. c. 19, intituled "An Act granting to John Adair, Junior, and Joseph Hunter, the right to erect a dam at the outlet of the Quesnelle Lake, and to mine the bed of the South Fork River and other lands," by extending the time for the erection of the dam, and for enlarging the boundaries of the land demised to the Company.

Dated at Victoria, the 6th day of Dec., A. D. 1889.

CHARLES WILSON,
Solicitor for Applicants.
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NOTICE.
Estate late John Woods.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ABOVE estate must be sent in forthwith to Mrs. E. Wood, Fort street, to whom all monies due the said estate must be paid.
Victoria, Dec. 5th, 1889. dec6

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25 acres	Gorge and Burnside Roads.
40 acres and House, etc	Gordon Head.
100 acres do.	East Saanich Road.
103 acres	South Saanich.
200 acres	Head of Saanich Peninsula.
200 acres	Shawnigan District.
300 acres	Prospect Lake.
373 acres	North Arm, Burrard Inlet.
400 acres	James's Island.
485 acres	Shawnigan District.
670 acres	Sooke---Timber.
900 acres	Lake District.
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TIME TABLE No. 11,

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GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.
	De 8.40 A.M	De 2.30 P.M	P.M. De 10.00	VICTORIA		Ar 1.20 P.M	Ar 5.55 P.M	A.M. Ar 7.15
	" 8.54	" 2.44	Ar. 10.15	RUSSELLS STA.		" 1.30	" 5.54	De 7.00
	" 9.21	" 3.09		SYLVANS		" 12.49	" 5.19	
	" 10.16	" 4.04		GOLDSTREAM		" 12.43	" 4.21	
	" 10.28	" 4.14		SHAWNIGAN L'E		" 11.46 A.M	" 4.11	
	" 10.45	" 4.29		COBBLE HILL		" 11.36	" 3.59	
	" 11.00	" 4.44		McPHERSON'S		" 11.19	" 3.49	
	" 11.02	" 4.49		SOMENOS		" 11.07	" 3.44	
	" 11.12	" 4.55		DUNCANS		" 10.52	" 3.31	
	" 11.38	" 5.16		CHEMAINUS		" 10.26	" 3.12	
	Ar 12.40 P.M			NANAIMO		De 9.24	" 2.14	
	De 1.00 P.M			WELLINGTON		Ar 9.05	De 1.50	

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CALLING AT WAY PORTS:
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FOR ALBERNI.
Regular : Steam : Service.

THE STEAMER BOSCOWITZ WILL sail for Alberni from Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf at six p. m. on SATURDAY November 23rd, and after that date will make regular trips to Alberni as under:—
15th January, 15th March, 15th May, 15th July, 15th September and 15th October, 1890.

J. D. WARREN,
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Office—Government St., Victoria. n6-1m

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"NORCROSS,"
D. D. ROOP, Master.

ALL CLAIMS against the above Vessel must be sent to the office of the undersigned before Friday, the 29th instant.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
26th Nov., 1889. nov27

Canadian Pacific
NAVIGATION
COMPANY, (Limited)

Time Table No. 11 Takes Effect March 23, 1889.

Vancouver Route:
Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 1:30 o'clock or on arrival of C. P. R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's, and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o clock. Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R train No. 2, going east Monday.
For Plumper Pass—Wednesday and Friday, at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Saturday at 7 o'clock

Fraser River Route:
Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and Way Landings every Wednesday.
For CHILLIWHACK and Way Landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock, during river navigation.

Northern Route:
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Barclay Sound Route:
Steamer MAUDE leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports when sufficient inducements offer.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table without notification. Steamers leave by standard time.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
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March 21st jy25

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The Colonist.

SATURDAY DECEMBER 7, 1889.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer ISLANDER, from Vancouver—Thos Nixon jr, Elliott Bell, C Wilson, H Barnwell, Miss Miller, J R Ker, C McCauley, P Dosch, Hon A N Richards, E Clark, W Bryce, G T Lego, Master Rice, Geo F Rice, H Bornstein, A W Cowan, Capt J G Bristol, Jas A Laidlaw, J E Crane, J W McFarland, Jas Hampton, Miss Thompson, W T Hardaker, J Miller, H Smith, Mr Newton, Mr Dodd, Master Dodd, G A Keefer, W J Taylor, Miss Bessie Crawford, S E Spohn, J Morton, R Frewing, N Olsen, G G Crawford, Angus Martin, Geo Beers, Edwin Davies, Jas Wilson, H Wilson, A Wilson, Sarah Wilson, Mary Cotwell, W S Taylor, Domingo Lopez, H H Jones, J P Roberts, C C St Clair, A B Miller, F Forrester, Jno Babke, C Miller, H Saddler, C Stelling, J Mountain, A Mountain, T Davis, Geo Pollock, A Pollock, R C Miller, G H Lett, M Miller, Mrs Miller, A Piske, W Hinds, P Cassidy, H C Wiggins, M Daley, Bertha E Rice, Geo Lee, Andrew Morrison, John Thompson, Mrs Jno Thompson, Miss H Thompson, Miss C Thompson, Miss T Thompson, Jno Thompson jr, C Thompson, Mary Thompson, Lizzie Thompson, Maggie Thompson, Annie Thompson.

Per str. OLYMPIAN from Puget Sound.—E S Kinyon, W T Register, J Boss, E L Dulpins, B Shannon, V L Lenny, J Walburg, A Van Wagner, J Billings, P Tillan, Mrs Cofran and daughter, T B Reed, C L May, Miss Mack, H W McClure, C Terry, F Bourchier, Dan O'Day, V Brull, N Breckenridge, P Chambers, J A Kelly and wife, E Brunner, C Jeffrey, H Newman, Maj McClellan, wife and daughter, H King, Lee Jack, J Jordon, O E Glack, J D McAllister, W Marriott, J Barran, L Thompson, G K Scofield, W Hammond, J Chalin, Mrs Denny and daughter, J Smith, F H Berger, L L Moore, Mrs McLeigh, W Fairbanks, T Atkinson, A S McCressler, Mr McTeigh, J B Walls, H G Givan.

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BIRTH.

BROWN.—In this city, on the 6th instant the wife of James Brown, of a daughter.

DIED.

RUTHERFORD.—In this city, on the 5th inst., Archibald Rutherford, a native of Perth, Scotland, aged 67 years.

The funeral will take place from the residence, 134 Superior street, James Bay on Sunday at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend.

WANTED,

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City Police Court.

In this court yesterday morning, Edwin Johnson, Q. C., S. M., presiding, a drunk paid $5. Jas. H. Mitchell, a steward from H. M. S., was remanded to the 7th inst. for assisting men to desert. The long-pending cases of Messrs. Jno. Weiler and Morris Moss, were further remanded until the 15th inst.

Freight and Trade Notes.

The entire freight of the Olympian last night consisted of bonded goods, comprising four carloads of iron pipe for E. S. Scoullar & Co, of New Westminster, and one carload of mixed merchandise for Victoria.

The Islander brought down one car oak lumber and one car merchandise last night.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no mistake about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind. my31-eod-w

JOHN DOHERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER

Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Mr. G. Doughty, cor. Blanchard and Fort sts, Bossi & Giesselmun, Yates st, or J. Finlayson's, Government st, will be promptly attended to. *ap26-1y

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Poultry and Dog Show.

There will be a meeting this evening at 7:45 o'clock in Philharmonic Hall of all those interested in promoting a poultry and dog show exhibition to be held during the holidays. A full attendance is requested.

City Real Estate Sale.

The lot on the northwest corner of Government and Broughton streets was sold yesterday for about $18,000, Mr. E. M. Johnson effecting the sale. A handsome brick and stone structure is talked of as shortly to be erected on the site.

Masonic.

At the annual election of officers of Victoria-Columbia Lodge, A. F. & A. M., No. 2, on Thursday evening last, the following were elected for the ensuing year: W. M., T. B. Pearson; S. W., W. J. Quinlan; J. W., B. Williams; treasurer, John Teague; tyler, W. Trickey.

Our Name

Is as familiar to the people of this city as a household word. Still, when you see it in print continually it is a reminder that our store is the place to find genuine bargains in clothing, hats, caps, gloves, underwear, etc. Give us a trial. We will sell you goods that will prove satisfactory. CAMERON, the cash clothier, 55 Johnson street.

Advice to Young Ladies.

The advice to young men market is glutted, prices ruling low with mighty few takers. We shall therefore confine our advice solely to young ladies. Our advice, my dears, is that you come and inspect the beautiful holiday presents for young men at Russell, McDonald & Co., opposite the Iron Church, Douglas street. *

A Benefactor.

We experienced the rare treat yesterday of inspecting the immense and varied stock of Toys and Fancy Goods at J. J. Daley's, 111 Government street. These goods Mr. Daley is offering Pro Bono Publico, as he is closing out his toy business to make room for new lines of goods on the way from Europe and the United States. It will pay our citizens to give him an early call as no reasonable offer will be refused. tf

A Big Scheme.

Negotiations are now well under way for the incorporation of a British Columbia syndicate, with a large amount of capital, who will provide employment for a large number of Scottish Crofters immediately upon their arrival here. The syndicate intend to equip several sealing and fishing schooners and man them with the hardy Scotchmen, and also employ others in the oil works and at a sawmill soon to be established near Alberni.

Calvary Baptist Church.

Mr. Whittier's discourse on Friday evening was based on Luke, 13th chap., 24th verse; "Strive to enter in at the straight gate." The address to young people will be delivered this afternoon at 2:30 instead of yesterday, as announced. Mr. Whittier will also preach on Sunday, both morning and evening. It is his intention to remain here until the middle of next week, after which he will leave for Seattle to conduct services there.

The Pottery Works.

Keller & Burris have an assortment of their goods on exhibition at Campbell's corner, consisting of sewer pipe, drain tiles, flower pots, vases, etc. Those who are entitled to know pronounce the various goods as first-class in every particular, equalling in quality the finest imported article. There is now no reason for going outside of the province for either class of goods, as Keller & Burris will furnish them from 25 to 50 per cent. less than the imported.

He Came Before He Was Ready.

Last evening Provincial Police Officers Miller, Irving and North returned from Plumper's Pass, having in their custody the young man Ike Tod, who has been wanted for several weeks past, and who has defied arrest. Tod was lodged in the provincial jail last evening and will appear in the police court this morning. He was traced from Plumper's Pass to Cowichan Gap, where he was captured at about 11 o'clock Wednesday night. He was in a boat at the time, and when Officer Miller arrested him he attempted to pick up his rifle, but afterwards thought better of his intention, and came along quietly.

In a Storm Off the Cape.

The bark James Chester has returned to Port Gamble for repairs, having encountered the full fury of a storm off Cape Flattery last Saturday night. The storm was a most furious one, and the ship was rudely buffetted about for several hours. The sea rose to a tremendous height under the fury of the blast, and one immense sea struck the Chester and carried away the rudder head, besides inflicting other damage. After a great deal of trouble the captain and crew succeeded in fixing up a jury rudder. It was a crude affair, but it answered the purpose, and as soon as the vessel began to answer the helm it was resolved to make Puget Sound and to return to Port Gamble, where the necessary repairs could be made.

A Thriving Industry.

The Chilliwhack cheese factory, of which Mr. A. C. Wells is the proprietor, and which is the only establishment of the kind in the province, has just closed down after a most successful season's work. During the period the factory was in operation 20,000 pounds were manufactured, all of which has been disposed of at a most satisfactory figure, netting a handsome profit to Mr. Wells. The cheese has all been sold off in the province for home consumption, and it is in great favor wherever it has been used, its quality being acknowledged as equal to the imported lines of the Ontario and Quebec article. The factory will be run to the fullest extent next season, and it is expected the output will be considerably greater than this year.—Columbian.

Naval Notes.

Mr. Loseby, bandmaster of the flagship, will fill concert engagements at Seattle on the 13th inst., and at Nanaimo on the 18th inst.

Vice-Admiral Heneage will not accept Mr. Loseby's resignation, so he will in all probability remain on the ship until she goes out of commission.

The Beagle sailed on 15th Nov. last from Portsmouth for the southeast coast of America.

In the course of seven weeks 556 tons have been built into the Royal Sovereign.

It is reported that H. M. S. Champion lost two hands by desertion and the Acorn two hands during the cruise to Seattle.

H. M. S. Nymphe for the Pacific station sailed from Madeira on the 24th October and arrived at St. Vincent on the 30th Oct.

Staff Surgeon Matthew Trevan died at Port Isaac on Wednesday, the 13th ult. The deceased officer served at Esquimalt, Vancouver Island, in charge of the naval hospital and at Ascension Island in a similar capacity. He served on the Condor under Capt. E. F. Day from 1877 to 1880, and received a vote of thanks from the Stafford House Committee for his services at the Gallipole hospital during the Turko-Russian war, when the Condor was up the Dardanelles. Dr. Trevan's last appointment was on the cadet training ship Brittania at Dartmouth, and he retired a few years ago.

The following is the programme for the movements of H. M. S. Swiftsure: Leave Esquimalt 25th January; arrive San Francisco 1st February; leave San Francisco 9th February; arrive Acapulco 26th February; leave Acapulco 6th March; arrive Panama 16th March; leave Panama 28th March; arrive Callao 8th April; leave Callao 16th April; arrive Coquimbo 23rd April.

C. P. R. Colonist Cars.

The first of the new C.P.R. cars came through to Vancouver on Thursday with an excursion from Boston. The new cars are very finely equipped, and have all the comforts of the regular sleeper, only not so luxuriously furnished, with a porter in attendance.

Incoming Passengers.

The following passengers for Victoria are on board the Queen of the Pacific, which sailed from San Francisco yesterday: Mrs. Lonendy, Miss Gilmore, Mrs. J. Freeman, Miss Little, J. Miller, J. L. M. Calder, J. Isaacs, Low B. Hadley and wife, M. P. Kohlberg and Capt. Harrington.

"We 3 Company."

Girard Leon's "We 3 Co." will appear at the Victoria Theatre on next Tuesday and Wednesday, including a Wednesday matinee. Twenty of the world's most famous artistes will appear, including Girard Leon and his educated donkeys, "Jack and Jill." Seats now on sale at Waitt's book store.

The Rustler a Total Loss.

Mr. M. Manson, owner of the wrecked steamer Rustler, has arrived at Nanaimo from the scene of the wreck at Nelson Island. He reports his vessel broken to pieces and a complete loss. The steamer was not insured, and Mr. Manson estimates his loss at $3,000. An effort will be made to recover the boiler and machinery from the wreck.

Banquets To-Night.

This evening the B. C. Pioneers will hold their annual dinner at the Delmonico, where every preparation has been made for a first class good time. A large number of tickets have been sold, and it is expected that at least 150 will sit down to the table. The carpenters also banquet this evening, their dinner being held at the Clarence at 9 o'clock.

Guilty of Taking 10 per cent. off Every Dollar Cash.

Henry Gribble, of Santa Claus Headquarters, 84 Government street, has been found guilty of keeping the largest and best assortment of holiday gifts in the province, and has been sentenced to hard labor in furnishing elegant and desirable Christmas gifts for everybody at lowest prices until after the holidays. Call and get 10 per cent. off every dollar cash.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The board of directors of the Young Men's Christian Association held their regular meeting at the rooms last evening, the president, Hon. John Robson, in the chair. The various committees made their reports, and fourteen new members were elected. The finance committee reported the entire amount raised as $1,609, leaving only $800 more to be raised, which amount they expect to soon have secured. The way business men are meeting the calls to help by their money is most encouraging, many subscriptions being largely increased over last year, and none refusing entirely. The new rooms will be ready for occupation soon. They will be heated throughout with hot water and lighted by electricity, and when completed will be well adapted to the growing needs of the work here in the city.

The City of Kingston.

Captain D. B. Jackson, manager of the Puget Sound and Alaska Steamship Co., returned to Seattle from New York on Wednesday, and told a Post-Intelligencer reporter that the magnificent steamer City of Kingston had sailed from New York on Nov. 23rd for Port Townsend, and that upon her arrival she will be put on the route between Victoria, Port Townsend, Seattle and Tacoma, and will make the round trip daily until the arrival of the City of Seattle, a new steamer which is now under construction. The City of Kingston was finished by the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company one year after they launched the steamer Olympian. The former is a cheaper boat to run, will use less fuel and carry more passengers than the Olympian. She is finished in the highest style and her cabin is a marvel of beauty and comfort for the accommodation of 600 passengers who can be carried each trip if necessary.

Donovan in Trouble.

Donovan, the self-styled champion heavy-weight wrestler, is again in trouble. When he, with a number of other useless characters, was "vagged" by the police on Tuesday night and subsequently released on his own recognizances, it was expected that he would leave the country for the country's good. He didn't leave, however, and yesterday afternoon he was arrested again by Sergeant Walker, this time on the more serious charge of assisting men to desert from the Royal Navy. Donovan's plan, it is supposed, has been to provide the men with civilian clothes and procure tickets for them across the Sound. When arrested, he was sleeping in his cabin with a marine from one of the ships, while a complete wardrobe of old clothes filled the room. The clothes were taken possession of by the police, and Donovan will come up for preliminary examination this morning. He is also required this morning to face the charge of vagrancy first laid against him.

Reported Lost.

The tug Pilot returned to port from the Straits yesterday, having been unsuccessful in her search for the British ship Hermoine, for whose safety grave fears are felt.

It is reported that the Hermoine, which arrived at Portland from New South Wales several weeks ago, was then in an unseaworthy condition. She loaded, however, with grain for the United Kingdom, and sailed about a week ago. In putting to sea she struck heavily on the Columbia River bar three or four times. She proceeded to sea, however, but was soon after spoken by a schooner bound for Port Townsend, which reported her leaking badly and trying to make Victoria. It is feared that she got too far out, and has been carried by the winds and currents up the Island coast.

The Hermoine is a British iron ship, rated 100 A 1 in Lloyd's. She was built in Aberdeen in 1876 by A. Hall & Co., and was owned by Shaw, Saville & Co. of Southampton. Her tonnage is 1,120 reg., 1,186 gross, and 1,033 under deck.

Drift Floats.

Mr. William Smith, deputy minister of Marine, has issued the following notice to mariners:

Lieut. Commander Chas. H. Stockton, commanding U. S. S. Thetis, reports that, during the past summer, while on the north and north-west coasts of Alaska the Thetis set adrift numerous drift floats. The floats are made of wood, about 2 feet long and 9½ inches thick, with the name of the ship, date, and the words "for drift" cut upon the face. In a cavity at one end of the float, plugged with soft wood, there is a copper cylinder containing a letter requesting the finder to inform the U. S. hydraulic office, Washington, D. C.; the nearest U. S. consul, or the commanding officer of the Thetis, the time and place where the float was found. These different floats are intended to show the direction and strength of the currents off the coast of Alaska, and any information obtained from them will be of value to navigation. Masters of Canadian vessels in British Columbia and Alaska waters, or residents on the coasts of British Columbia, finding any of these floats are strongly urged to comply with the request contained therein.

THE REFUGE HOME.

The Good Work Done by the Ladies of the W. C. T. U.—How the Home is Conducted.

At the annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, held in September, 1888, it was decided that, if practicable, during the year a home of refuge should be opened to reclaim the fallen and shelter the friendless of our own sex, who have been less fortunate and oftentimes less favored than we have been; those whose places some of us might have occupied were it not for the grace of God; were it not for the goodness of God in placing us with different surroundings, in giving us different education, and perhaps inheriting different natures. Immediately following the convention the need of such a home became so apparent that we appealed to our president, in whose charge the work had been left, for help. She at once suggested that we ask Colonel Woodford, who was visiting our Province at the time, to give the last evening in each place he lectured to raising money for this work.

Mrs. Spencer, the superintendent of social purity, threw her whole energy into the suggestion, and it was largely through her efforts that it was arranged to carry out this idea in Victoria so successfully.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The sum of $1,200 was subscribed at the meeting, which was afterwards increased to $1,774. Vancouver also followed this plan and forwarded $200 to the treasurer of the Refuge as the result of the evening's subscriptions. In New Westminster it was not thought advisable at that time to ask for subscriptions, and since that time the opportunity has not presented itself to raise funds for this work. A very nice bedroom set was sent from there, however, which helped in furnishing the home. In North Arm the ladies canvassed and raised $84.25, which effort the committee fully appreciated. From Kamloops we received $6.00, a donation from the treasury of the local union. At a meeting of the Provincial executive of this society it was decided that Victoria was the most desirable place for the refuge, and a pleasant central home was bought. It was opened in May, Mrs. Luker kindly taking charge for three weeks until a matron was found in Miss Cogswell, from Nova Scotia, but at the end of two months she sent in her resignation and married. We were, however, most fortunate in securing an elderly matron, who is a real mother to the girls, and just suited for the position. She has the many qualifications which you so rarely find in one person, education, energy, tact, patience, and a thoroughly consecrated heart. The home is managed by a committee of twelve ladies, selected from the different churches, appointed annually by the convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, these to be assisted by an advisory board composed of the clergymen of all evangelical churches, and six laymen selected by the managing committee. Three of these ladies are appointed every month to manage the internal arrangements of the home.

THE YEAR'S WORK.

During the year the committee have tried to help nine girls, seven of whom have been sheltered by the home; three of these have gone to their parents. The other three are still in the refuge; one is from Vancouver and two from Victoria, one of whom was found sick and in distress, without friends and without money. The girls are happy and contented, striving to learn both housekeeping and sewing. They are beginning to pray and earnestly striving to overcome their evil natures. Much to the regret of the ladies, one, who has since gone to her parents, had to be dismissed from the home for repeated insubordination, which was the cause of incorrect reports, detrimental to the home, appearing in the daily press. Before leaving the city the young woman called on the matron and some of the ladies to say good-bye, promising to try and do right; we trust she will. All we can do is to leave her to God and her Christian mother.

A sewing room has been established, and although the work accomplished has not been much, we are hopeful that it may be made a means of income after a time. The committee desire to express their gratitude to the friends who have sent donations, to the managers of THE COLONIST and Times newspapers for sending the daily papers, and other courtesies extended to the work, and to Drs. Duncan, Helmcken, Davie and Garrow for medical attendance which has been so kindly and generously given.

SABBATH SERVICES.

The inmates attended the different churches with either the matron or one of the ladies belonging to the committee. On Sabbath afternoon a Bible reading and prayer meeting is held in the Home and is greatly enjoyed, being a means of grace to all who attend.

This work has its discouragements as well as its encouragements; but knowing it is God's work, and that he has promised sustaining grace to those who put their trust in him, we can only look up during the time when faith and grace are tried and cry "Lord, verify thy promise to us."

The treasurer in presenting her report states that while the accounts balance there are bills amounting to over three hundred dollars which will be due at the end of December, and to meet whice there is only $14.00 in the treasury. Any subscriptions, therefore, will be thankfully received by any member of the managing committee.

Trusting that during the coming year many may not only be sheltered by this refuge, but may be led to lives of purity and usefulness by coming to the Saviour and hearing his words "Neither do I condemn thee; go and sin no more."

Signed on behalf of the committee.

MARIA GRANT,
Cor.-Sec. Refuge Home.

1889 RECEIPTS.

To Subscriptions from Victoria...	$1,774 45
To Subscriptions from Vancouver	200 00
To Subscriptions from North Arm	84 25
To Subscriptions from Kamloops.	6 00
To Rental of Home two months..	40 00
To amount borrowed on mortgage	1,500 00
Total.....	$3,604 70

1889 DISBURSEMENTS.

Jan.—By purchase of Home.....	$3,000 00
May—By repairing and furnishing Home.....	423 00
By Insurance for three yrs.	30 00
By Conveyance.....	31 00
By Matron's salary.....	70 00
By Sundries.....	15 20
Nurse and Housekeeping Account.....	21 25
Cash on hand	14 25
Total.....	$3,604 70

MRS. JAS. MCGREGOR, Treas.
M. GRANT, Auditor.

THE OFFICERS.

Following are the officers of the institution, the committee and the advisory board:—

Officers—President, Mrs. D. Spencer; vice-president, Mrs. Capt. Grant; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Maria Grant; recording secretary, Mrs. A. Beckwith; treasurer, Mrs. Dr. McGregor; superintendent, Mrs. Dr. Siddell.

Committee—Mrs. J. Robson, Mrs. M. Humber, Mrs. J. Flett, Mrs. N. Shakespeare, Mrs. Capt. Grant, Mrs. Dr. McGregor, Mrs. Burkholder, Mrs. C. Spofford, Mrs. C. Hayward, Mrs. G. F. Grant, Mrs. A. J. Beckwith, Mrs. D. Spencer.

Advisory Board—The ministers of all the evangelical churches, Hon. J. Robson, D. Spencer, Noah Shakespeare, — Hall, — Burkholder.

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The fact is we sell sixty (60) Watches or Diamonds to each club, each club representing a cash sale of from four to six thousand dollars. Twenty clubs, at the same ratio, representing a cash sale of from eighty thousand to one hundred and twenty thousand dollars worth of goods, enables us to sell cheaper.

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Essie Tittell Coming.

Mr. E. M. Jewell, advance manager of the Essie Tittell Dramatic Co. is at present in the city. He expects to arrange for the appearance of Miss Tittell and her company in a week of emotional drama about the end of the month, when popular prices of admission will be charged. The Sound papers speak highly of Miss Tittell, who is a young Californian of more than ordinary ability.

Their Departure is Regretted.

Two suave and gentlemanly strangers who have been canvassing the town as the representatives of eastern dry goods houses left for the Sound yesterday, omitting the customary formalities of paying their debts before they departed. A well-known restaurant mourns the loss of a long standing account for board, while several obliging friends of the departed financiers now regret having loaned them small sums ranging from $5 to $50.

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